UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE, DONALD J. TRUMP FOR PRESIDENT 2024, INC., MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN PARTY and RYAN KIDD,

No. 1:24-cy-00720

HON. PAUL L. MALONEY

Plaintiffs,

 \mathbf{v}

GRETCHEN WHITMER, in her official capacity as Governor of Michigan, JOCELYN BENSON, in her official capacity as Michigan Secretary of State, JONATHAN BRATER, in his official capacity as Director of the Michigan Bureau of Elections, U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, ISABEL GUZMAN, in her official capacity as Administrator of the Small Business Administration, DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, and DENIS McDONOUGH, in his official capacity as Secretary of Veterans Affairs,

Defendants.

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STIPULATED ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR DEFENDANTS WHITMER, BENSON AND BRATER TO RESPOND TO PLAINTIFFS' COMPLAINT

The parties hereby stipulate and agree to an extension until August 23, 2024 for Defendants Governor Gretchen Whitmer, Secretary of State Jocelyn Benson and Bureau of Elections Director Jonathan Brater to file a first responsive pleading to Plaintiffs' complaint;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a response to the complaint will be required from Defendants Gretchen Whitmer, Jocelyn Benson and Jonathan Brater on or before August 23, 2024.

Date: _August 12, 2024 ____/s/ Paul L. Maloney
HON. PAUL L. MALONEY
District Court Judge

The parties, through their respective counsel, stipulate to the entry of the above order.

<u>s/Jonathan B. Koch (w/consent)</u> Dated: August 9, 2024

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